Executive Proclamation
State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Shannon Brown and Nancy Naeve exchanged their vows of Holy Matrimony on Sunday, June 15, 2008, on the Island of Jamaica; and,

Whereas, The couple met at the Bracco restaurant on May 30, 2007, on Nancy's 29th birthday (actually, an anniversary of that milestone); and,

Whereas, Nancy, after several weeks of courting, granted Shannon the rare privilege of dating her, even though he sometimes enjoys girlie drinks with umbrellas in them; and,

Whereas, Shannon, who is very handy around the house, and Nancy, who is not, but is known as the "Siouxland Sweetheart," will celebrate their new life together on June 29, 2008, at C.J. Callaway's; and,

Whereas, Dedication to the values of caring and sharing, on and off the television screen, Shannon and Nancy will establish their home in Sioux Falls, making South Dakota a great place to live, work, and raise the little Browns and George; and,

Whereas, With the blessings of all who know them, and Whitey Naeve smiling from above, it is altogether fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this wonderfully significant and delightful event in the lives of two very special South Dakotans:

Now, Therefore, I, M. Michael Rounds, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 29, 2008, as

NANCY NAEVE AND SHANNON BROWN DAY

in South Dakota, and I join their families and friends in wishing them a memorable day of joy and a lifetime of health, happiness, and prosperity as they begin their life together as Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-sixth Day of June in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

M. Michael Rounds, Governor

Attest:

Chris Nelson, Secretary of State